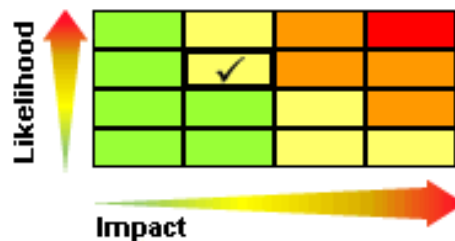
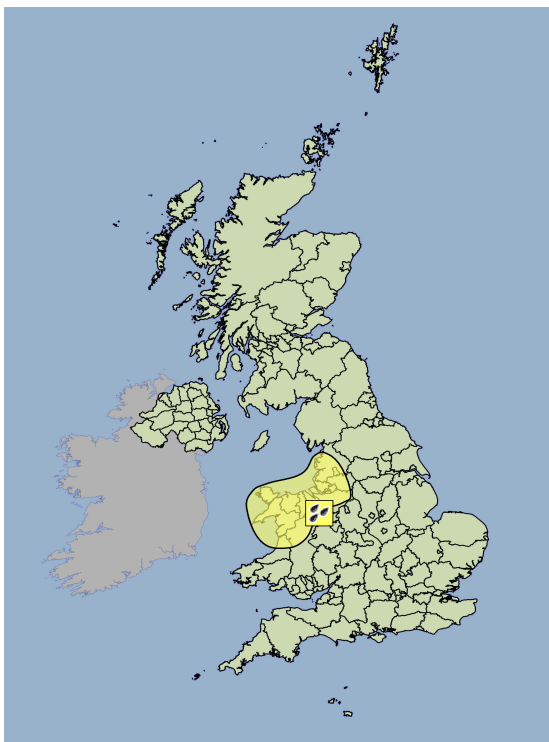


National Severe Weather Warning Service



Chief Forecasters Assessment

An area of low pressure, associated with a sharp north-south temperature contrast, is expected to move eastwards across central Britain on Saturday. This has the potential to produce 20 to 40 mm rainfall quite widely, and locally 60 mm on high ground. Gale force winds will also be a feature south of the low track. This development is still associated with uncertainty, especially regarding the track and timing of the depression - this will probably affect the details of strong winds and snow more than the rainfall. The warning will be kept under review.

The Met Office have issued a **Yellow Warning of Rain**

Valid from **08:00 on Sat, 12th Dec 2015** until **20:00 on Sat, 12th Dec 2015**

Rain, heavy at times, will develop early on Saturday and persist until later in the day. Given saturated ground, be aware of the potential for some localised flooding, as well as some travel disruption. Snowfall may also affect some higher routes for a time, more particularly in the north of the area, while winds will gust 50 to 60 mph in the south of the area.

This warning has been updated to adjust the area and make mention of the strong winds and hill snow.

For more details please go to:

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